

District Court

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For The Northern Mariana Islands
 By _____
 (Deputy Clerk)

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

 Plaintiff,

 v.

 JOSE CRUZ ALDAN,
 a/k/a "Joe,"

 Defendant.

Criminal Case No. 05-00009

**ORDER GRANTING WAIVER OF
 SPEEDY TRIAL AND AMENDING
 SCHEDULING**

Hearing: February 1, 2006

Time: 2:00 p.m.

JOSE CRUZ ALDAN, a/k/a "Joe," the defendant, having appeared in open court with his attorney on February 1, 2006; and

The defendant, through his attorney, having represented to the Court that he requests the Court to consider his oral motion in open court to waive speedy trial in order to allow his counsel to effectively prepare his case;

The Court finds pursuant to Title 18, United States Code § 3161 (h)(8) that the ends of justice served by allowing the defense further time to review the evidence in preparation for trial outweighs any other interests the public or the defendant may have in a speedy trial; therefore,

1 IT IS ORDERED that:

- 2 1. Pursuant to the defendant's request and a written voluntary, knowing and
3 intelligent waiver, speedy trial was waived and the time from the execution of this
4 waiver up to and including May 31, 2006, is hereby excluded from the computing
5 of time within which trial of the offenses contained in the indictment must
6 commence pursuant to the Speedy Trial Act ;
- 7 2. The jury trial herein shall commence on May 1, 2006; and
- 8 3. The following be filed with this Court no later than one week before trial:
- 9 a) Proposed jury voir dire questions;
- 10 b) A joint exhibit list (Government's exhibits
11 numbered; Defendant's exhibits lettered) (one
12 original and three copies for the Court);
- 13 c) A complete set of marked exhibits (with a copy for
14 the Court if practicable);
- 15 d) Proposed verdict forms;
- 16 e) Witness lists for purposes of voir dire only (witness
17 lists shall include: legal names, aliases, nicknames,
18 place of residence, and place of employment) (one
19 original and three copies for the Court); and

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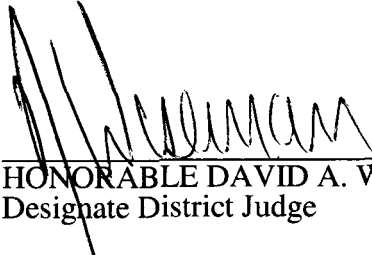
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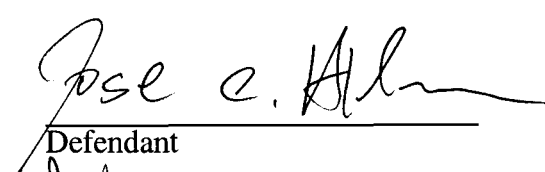
- f) Proposed jury instructions (those jury instructions upon which agreement cannot be reached shall be submitted in a separate packet, together with the objections and authority therefor of each party.)

IT IS SO ORDERED.

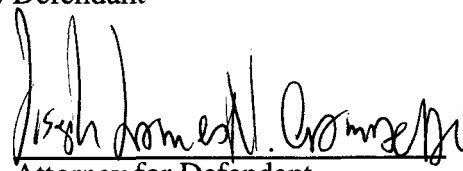
DATED: 2/1/, 2006


HONORABLE DAVID A. WISEMAN
Designate District Judge

The undersigned parties stipulate to this order both as to form and substance. The defendant specifically acknowledges the waiver of speedy trial and exclusion of time up to and including May 31, 2006.


Defendant

Date: 2-1-2006


Attorney for Defendant

Date: 2-1-2006

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